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Application Number	09/721,918
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Examiner Name	To Be Assigned

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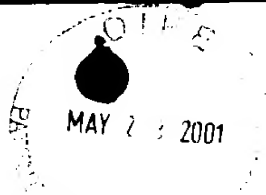
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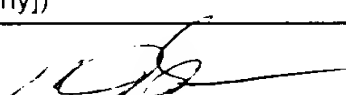
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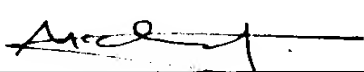
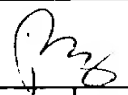
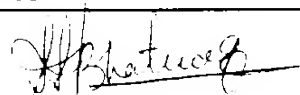
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